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Sent: 6/15/2017 2:28:54 PM

To: Grzyb, Julie [julie.grzyb@ncdenr.gov]

Subject: RE: Chemours NPDES Permit

Will do Julie. Thanks!

Becky B. Allenbach, Acting Deputy Director Water Protection Division EPA Region 4 - Atlanta

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From: Grzyb, Julie [mailto:julie.grzyb@ncdenr.gov]

Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2017 10:27 AM

To: Allenbach, Becky <Allenbach.Becky@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Chemours NPDES Permit

Becky,

Please tell them the permit is up for renewal and NC NPDES staff are starting to work on it.

Thanks, Julie

From: Allenbach, Becky [mailto:Allenbach.Becky@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, June 14, 2017 8:02 PM **To:** Grzyb, Julie < <u>julie.grzyb@ncdenr.gov</u>>

Cc: Culpepper, Linda da.culpepper@ncdenr.gov>

Subject: Re: Chemours NPDES Permit

Understood. Thank you for the information regarding the permit renewal. A reporter has asked us for information on it. I think it best that I try to direct them to you, but if they want information from us, what are you comfortable with us putting forward?

Becky B. Allenbach, Acting Deputy Director Water Protection Division EPA Region 4

On Jun 14, 2017, at 8:01 PM, Grzyb, Julie < julie.grzyb@ncdenr.gov> wrote:

Understandable, we try to renew permits according to sub-basin – this might have got off schedule. Julie

From: Allenbach, Becky [mailto:Allenbach.Becky@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, June 14, 2017 7:58 PM **To:** Grzyb, Julie < <u>julie.grzyb@ncdenr.gov</u>>

Cc: Culpepper, Linda < linda.culpepper@ncdenr.gov>

Subject: Re: Chemours NPDES Permit

Sorry, I just assumed that it was a five year permit from the date of issuance meaning until February 2017. Sorry for any confusion.

Becky B. Allenbach, Acting Deputy Director Water Protection Division EPA Region 4

On Jun 14, 2017, at 7:53 PM, Grzyb, Julie < julie.grzyb@ncdenr.gov> wrote:

Becky,

Not sure where the Feb. 2017 date came from.

The permit was issued on Feb. 6, 2012 with an expiration date of Oct. 31, 2016. DWR received a renewal application for the Chemours NPDES Permit (NC0003573) on May 3, 2016.

Since the renewal application was received 180 days prior to expiration the permit is automatically continued until a new permit is issued.

There is not an updated permit at this time; however, the assigned permit writer was hoping to start the application review and permit renewal this August.

That was before all the news broke on GenX. The permit writer is involved and attending meetings with Chemours and learning the processes, etc so she can expedite the renewal.

Having said that, we do not want to issue a permit until we are sure it is protective of the stream usage.

Julie

Julie A Grzyb

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From: Culpepper, Linda

Sent: Wednesday, June 14, 2017 7:18 PM

To: Allenbach, Becky < Allenbach, Becky@epa.gov>; Grzyb, Julie

<julie.grzyb@ncdenr.gov>

Subject: RE: Chemours NPDES Permit

Julie – know you have the best information on this. As I understand staff currently have the permit in queue for review.

Thanks for sharing the details with Becky.

Becky – appreciate the discussions today. Know there is more information to come from HQ on the TSCA Consent Order.

Thank you for helping with that effort.

Linda Culpepper Deputy Director Division of Water Resources North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality

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Sent: Wednesday, June 14, 2017 2:53 PM

To: Culpepper, Linda < linda.culpepper@ncdenr.gov>

Subject: Chemours NPDES Permit

Hi Linda:

Our records show that Chemours' permit should be up for renewal in February 2017. We have a request from a reporter. Is there an updated permit?

Becky

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